

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Farm Service Agency
Washington, DC 20250

Notice DAP-125

For: State and County Offices

Quality Adjustment Procedures for Apples and Potatoes

Approved by: Acting Deputy Administrator, Farm Programs



1 Quality Adjustments

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Background

The signup period for the Quality Loss Program Apples/Potatoes (QLP-AP), ended on November 9, 2001.

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Purpose

This notice informs State and County Offices that eligible apple or potato producers that did not file applications by the November 9 deadline for QLP-AP may apply for crop year 2000 quality adjustments under CDP and the regular QLP.

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2000 CDP and QLP

An eligible producer may continue to apply for and receive an apple or potato quality adjustment under 2000 CDP and QLP. All normal program provisions will apply to the apple and potato applicants, including payment limitation and gross revenue restrictions.

QLP-AP applications received in the County Office after November 9, 2001, shall not be approved. Advise producers of potential program eligibility under 2000 CDP and QLP.

Note: Producers cannot be approved for the same losses under both QLP-AP and QLP. This notice applies only to those producers that missed the November 9 deadline.

The deadline for 2000 CDP and QLP is January 18, 2002.

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County Office Action

County Offices shall continue to approve 2000 CDP and QLP applications for eligible apple and potato producers received in the County Office through the published signup deadline of January 18, 2002.

Disposal Date

June 1, 2002

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Distribution

State Offices; State Offices relay to County Offices